

NEWS OF INDIANA and MICHIGAN

KALAMAZOO CRIMES ARE
ATTRIBUTED TO YOUTHS

Boys of 10 and 8 Years Are
Arrested for Burglary
and Confess.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., June 22.—A series of house robberies and store burglaries, which for two weeks has troubled the police, is believed to have been solved when Leonard and Edgar Houser, 10 and 8 years old, were arrested.

The arrests followed an attempt to rob a shoe store. Earlier in the evening the Dan Aach dry goods store had been robbed. The boys later admitted both thefts. All of the money they had secured by previous robberies they had spent at a park for candy and ice cream, also for rides on a merry-go-round.

Armed with many rings of keys, flashlights and their pockets filled with stamps they had stolen, the boys when first arrested denied they had committed any robberies, but later when unable to explain where they got the stamps, admitted the thefts.

According to acting Chief of Police Fred Putman the youngsters are the youngest burglars ever captured in Kalamazoo.

WILL LEARN COST

Blackford County School Officials to
Keep Record of Absences.

HARTFORD CITY, Ind., June 22.—An effort to determine the annual financial loss to Blackford county because of preventable illness among school children will be made by County Supt. M. C. Townsend and Dr. N. Hurty, secretary of the state board of health.

A careful record will be kept of all absences among school children and the cost to the taxpayers because of wasted educational facilities will be computed. The information obtained will be used in health propaganda work throughout the state.

Blackford county will be one of three counties in the state where a rural health survey will be made within the next month. Because of the small appropriation made by the 1915 legislature the work was limited to Blackford, Floyd and Union counties.

POLICE BREAK UP "WAR"

Flint Settlement Has Riot Over
European Difficulties.

FLINT, Mich., June 22.—War broke out in the foreign colony here shortly after midnight Sunday morning in an argument over the European struggle. The police entered the struggle as it was at its height. Small arms were being used freely and much property was circled.

When the smoke of battle finally cleared, the services of the Red Cross were required for Martin Sheoman, whose body received several ugly knife wounds. Julian Gol, was also badly cut. Joe Chassett and Andy Caro, were taken prisoner. The district was placed under martial rule to prevent further outbreaks.

TO DEDICATE AUDITORIUM

Rev. Seth Reed to Deliver Prayer at
Michigan State Normal.

YPSILANTI, Mich., June 22.—Impressive ceremonies will mark the dedication of the new Pense auditorium at the Michigan State Normal college.

J. J. McGivley, Detroit architect, will deliver the presentation speech and a response will be made by William J. McKone of Albion, president of the state board of education.

Rev. Seth Reed of Flint, who offered prayer in 1912 when the normal college was dedicated, will deliver the invocation.

GIRL TAKES CHLOROFORM

Parents Say Delicate Health Caused
Cadillac Girl's Suicide.

CADILLAC, June 22.—With her face buried in a pillow saturated with chloroform, Miss Piney Boyd, popular 20-year-old Lucas girl, was found dead by her father, Philip Boyd. The family had gone to a lake near Lucas to spend the day leaving the daughter at home because she did not feel well. The girl's parents are prostrated and can think of no reason for her act except delicate health.

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GOLD HUNTERS DO DAMAGE

Trees Are Ruined When Men Dig for
Hidden Treasure.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., June 22.—Inspired by a recent story that appeared in an afternoon paper here, gold hunters for the last several days have been digging at night beneath large poplar and oak trees on Coal Mine hill, two miles west of the city. In the hope of finding a pot containing \$5,000 in gold coin. No lost treasure has been recorded, but about 25 trees, each 100 years old, have been ruined by the fortune seekers.

The gold seekers read of a man who died in Kentucky across the river from Evansville many years ago and of how, before he died, he pulled across the Ohio river in a skiff and buried \$5,000 in gold in a pot under the roots of a large tree. Owners of Coal Mine hill have found holes in the ground as large as graves or cisterns and it will require considerable work to fill them.

STRANGE CASE IS FATAL

Waterloo Woman Dies Following
Sudden Ailment.

WATERLOO, Ind., June 22.—Mrs. Obediah Leas is dead at her home here from blood-poisoning after an illness of just a week, amputation of her left arm last Wednesday by Dr. H. A. Deumling of Fort Wayne, having failed to save her life. Mrs. Leas was a stranger to the community and came to Waterloo on Sunday morning, June 13. Her arm shriveled and became useless and her agony was unbearable. Dr. Deumling was called and pronounced the condition due to a blood clot. Amputation was decided upon as the only measure of relief and that was resorted to. Blood-poisoning, however, had developed and could not be arrested. The night before she was attacked Mrs. Leas was out automobile riding with members of her family and was apparently in perfect health. She was 59 years old and is survived by her husband and three children. She was a charter member of the Order of the Eastern Star here.

MAIL TRAIN KILLS THREE

Hits Wagon Near Eaton Rapids
When Occupants Fail to Hear Signal.

EATON RAPIDS, June 22.—Three lives were lost when a wagon was struck by a mail train at the Michigan Central crossing two miles west of here.

The dead are Mrs. Betsey Stewart, 76 years old; her son, Amos, 38 years old, and grandson, Donald Stewart, 21 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart of this city. They were on their way to this city to help celebrate the anniversary of John's birthday. One of the horses was killed and the wagon was smashed. Failure to hear the approaching train is given as the cause of the accident.

Four years ago to a day, two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart, and sisters of Donald, were drowned in Spring brook when their canoe turned over.

POCKET HIT BY STORM

Several Towns in Southern Indiana
Suffer Damage.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., June 22.—One of the worst storms in many months passed over this section today, resulting in great damage from wind and rain.

Most of the traction lines entering this city, as well as many steam railroads, suffered from washouts, and some were forced to suspend operations.

Hundreds of window panes were broken, trees were wrecked and telephone and telegraph wires prostrated. At Boonville a cloudburst was reported.

The damage in the "pocket" will aggregate hundreds of thousands of dollars.

HURT IN PECULIAR WAY

Steel from Hammer Head Penetrates
Man's Chest.

BLUFFTON, Ind., June 22.—Frank Baerley was painfully injured in a curious manner. While doing some carpenter work a scale of steel flew off the head of the hammer he was wielding and struck him in the chest, penetrating the flesh for a distance of probably a half an inch and inflicting a small cut about an eighth of an inch long. The surgeon who attended him was unable to locate the metal with a probe and it will be allowed to remain in the tissue for the present at least. The steel passed through his shirt and underclothing, cutting a neat hole in each.

THINKS LEAGUE A JOKE

Hartford City Mayor Says Organiza-
tion Is Worthless.

HARTFORD CITY, Ind., June 22.—The Indiana municipal league is a huge joke. The main excuse for its existence is to provide a number of city officials a pleasant annual outing at the expense of the taxpayers. This was the explanation of Mayor Ethan W. Seerost of the action of the city council in withdrawing from the league. "The meeting of the league furnishes a good time for city officials, but it does the cities represented no good at all," said the mayor.

TAKES DRUG AND DIES

Grand Rapids Man Eats Heroin for
Effect and Is Found Dead.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 22.—Bertram A. Martindale, 26 years old, son of Dr. Joseph Martindale, a wealthy Camden, N. J., physician, died in a local rooming house from an overdose of heroin. Evans, who was arrested, has been regarded as mentally unbalanced for some time, but was thought to be harmless. Wood some time ago refused to give Evans some money and it is believed this was the cause of the shooting. Evans waited outside Wood's office three or four hours for him to appear and began shooting as soon as the latter stepped on to the street.

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HIGHWAY DAY TO BE
HELD ON WEDNESDAY

Elkhart People to Be Caught By
Lincoln Roadway's
Camera Man.

ELKHART, June 22.—The committee on arrangements for the Lincoln highway celebration to be held in this city Wednesday is busy today completing final arrangements for what the committee anticipates will be one of the biggest days in Elkhart's history.

E. L. Arnold, chairman of the committee, was in Fort Wayne Sunday getting suggestions from Lincoln highway officials. The Fort Wayne celebration is taking place today.

The taking of motion pictures will begin shortly after 9 a. m. and the camera men will be on the job almost continuously from that time until after the big parade which will move promptly at 1:30 p. m.

Mrs. Sarah J. Stickler Woodcock, 291 Oxford st., is dead after an illness of 10 days due to a cold complicated with chronic heart trouble. Her aged husband, John Woodcock, who was stricken with a severe cold after she became ill, is in a critical condition.

Mrs. Woodcock, who had been a resident of Elkhart 12 years, was born in Whitley county, Ind., on April 23, 1844, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Shorb, pioneers of that section. Her first husband, Henry Strickler, died June 28, 1908, and her marriage to Mr. Woodcock took place April 24, 1913. Surviving here are the following children: Mrs. Rena Brubaker, Andrew T. Stickler, Mrs. Nancy Cornelius and Willard H. Stickler, all of Elkhart; the latter having made his home with his mother, Aaron A. Stickler of Larwill, Ind., and Edward E. Stickler of South Bend. Surviving brothers and sisters are: Nathaniel G. Shorb of South Whitley, Jess A. Shorb of Newton, Ill.; Thomas J. Shorb of Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Mrs. Marandie Coble of Muncie, Ind.; Mrs. Eliza Spohnbauer of South Whitley; Mrs. Ellen Penn of Huntington, Ind. Mrs. Stickler was a member of the Methodist denomination.

The funeral service will be held at the home at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday. Rev. R. L. Morrison of St. Paul's Methodist church will be assisted by Rev. F. G. Fried and Rev. S. A. Whitmore.

N. E. Fisher, a former N. Y. C. freight brakeman who stole \$30, a watch and a suit of clothes from Melvin Wagner, another brakeman, and who was arrested in Sandusky, O., pleaded guilty in the circuit court Monday. Judge Drake sentenced him to from one to 14 years in the penitentiary, fined him \$50 and disfranchised him for four years.

A new departure was inaugurated by the police Monday when Chief Roth notified the carnival people now showing on E. Jackson st. that no kind of gaming devices, such as throwing balls at doll babies, rings at canes, etc., would be allowed.

"It is the purpose of the department," said the chief, "to stop all kinds of gambling on the grounds. The step was taken because of objectionable conditions that were found to exist at a carnival show that occupied the same site two or three weeks ago. The 'privileges' were abused."

The will of Joseph Ludwig, who died May 14, was filed for probate today. William D. Dalton is named as executor. The document, which was drawn June 8, 1908, disposes of personal property and realty valued at \$12,000 as follows:

To a grandson, Herbert Ludwig, is given the north side of a flat building located at 1136 Prairie av., subject to a bequest of \$500 in favor of Mr. Ludwig's mother, Mrs. Mary Krueger.

To a niece, Angela Ludwig, is left the residence property at 1052 S. Second st., subject to a bequest of \$300 in favor of Mrs. Krueger.

To a son, Charles A. Ludwig, is given the residence properties at 1107-1111 Prairie st. All personal property is left to the children of Charles A. Ludwig.

The will was Charles J. Sorrentino and William F. Seidel.

The Martin Band Instrument Co., this week has received from J. Henderson, their California representative, who is in charge of the company's exhibit at the Panama fair, the following gratifying message:

"Martin awarded gold medal for superiority in band instruments. The local management of the company's business said it would award further information before undertaking to give out details of the award."

ELOPER DESERTS LADY

Youth Flees from Stolen Auto While
Officers Arrest Girl.

COLUMBUS, Ind., June 22.—White Leon Atten, 18 years old, of Owensboro, Ky., and Miss May Moore, 22 years old, of Indianapolis, were eloping to Louisville, Ky., in a machine stolen by Totten at Indianapolis. The girl was arrested while alone in the machine near here at 2 o'clock this morning, but the youth escaped. When caught he confessed to the theft of the machine, implicated the girl and told the officers that they had planned to sell the machine in Louisville and get married.

KILLS WARSAW VETERAN

Capt. A. G. Wood Slain by Man Men-
tally Unbalanced.

WARSAW, Ind., June 22.—Capt. A. G. Wood, 82 years old, a veteran of the civil war, was shot and killed by Ezekiel Evans here. Evans, who was arrested, has been regarded as mentally unbalanced for some time, but was thought to be harmless. Wood some time ago refused to give Evans some money and it is believed this was the cause of the shooting. Evans waited outside Wood's office three or four hours for him to appear and began shooting as soon as the latter stepped on to the street.

REPAIRED BRIDGE FALLS

Farm Hand Is Injured When Struc-
ture Goes Down.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., June 22.—David Kylander, a farm hand, was badly injured when a newly repaired bridge over Honey creek, south of this city, collapsed as he was driving across it with a load of corn. Hillman Kinney, following him, suffered severe bruises. The bridge had been repaired with a new concrete floor only last week and its weight proved too much for the old girders of the structure.

FLINT HAS LARGE CLASS

Will Present High School Diplomas to
111 Pupils Thursday.

FLINT, June 22.—The largest graduating class ever completing the course at Flint high school, comprising 111 pupils, will be graduated on Thursday evening. Pres't E. E. Bryan of the College university will deliver the address at the commencement exercises Thursday evening.

HEART TROUBLE KILLS TWO

Muskegon Citizens Are Seized Within
Few Hours of Each Other.

MUSKEGON, June 22.—Rolla Payne and Harry Watson, both residents of this city for several years died suddenly of heart disease only a few hours apart. Mr. Payne held the office of sheriff of Muskegon county four years. He was prominent in lodge affairs.

BRIEFS.

HASTINGS.—Barry county's board of supervisors held special session today to choose a county livestock agent, who will fight cholera.

EATON RAPIDS.—Pres't B. H. Cude of the State Gingeong Growers association says that the meeting of the state organization, to be held at Coopersville in August, will be the most important the association has ever held.

JACKSON.—The man who was killed by a Michigan Central passenger train here was Henry Senerstick, home unknown, who recently left the McGregor mine at Detroit. The body will be sent to Ann Arbor.

DIMONDAL.—The Lake Shore Railroad company will rebuild the combination freight house and grain elevator that was destroyed by fire.

STANDISH.—The baccalaureate sermon to the normal and high school was preached by Rev. A. L. Butler of the First Methodist church.

GAYLORD.—Miss Maurine Mitchell one of the 12 students to graduate from the Gaylord high school this year, has attended 13 consecutive years without having been absent or tardy.

IRON RIVER.—Emil Nyquist, living near Iron River, has captured a large number of prizes for potato raising. At a recent competition he was awarded fifth place for the United States in this field.

HASTINGS.—The Hastings firemen broke all speed records here in a trial test in the presence of 1,500 persons. Just 30 seconds after the alarm was turned in a stream of water was playing three long blocks away.

STANDISH.—The Arenac County Sunday School association just closed an enthusiastic two-day session at Turner. E. K. Mohr spoke and Pres't J. H. Smith of Mable, Mich. presided. The next tri-county association meeting will be held at Lupton in October.

SHERIDAN.—Charged with firing a shot at his sweetheart, Miss Marie Kirby, Mace Remsen was arrested here. Miss Kirby was talking to Lester Brandenburg, a friend of the family, when the shot was fired.

KOKOMO.—Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson, 69 years old, is suffering from injuries caused by the collapse of a folding bed.

RICHMOND.—Tired of political methods which he characterizes as "undignified even in ward heeled," Charles Jordan has declined to be a candidate for reelection as a member of the school board.

RICHMOND.—Mrs. Fred Petty arose from her sick bed and rode on a cot in a baggage car beside the casket of her husband that she might attend the funeral services at Bainbridge. Petty was killed when he fell from a box car.

NASHVILLE.—Leander Weddle, a farmer, living near Helmsburg, was made unconscious by the sting of bees when he was attempting to swarm.

HUNTINGTON.—When the auto in which she was riding collided with an interurban, Mrs. Jennie Davis was thrown under the wheels of the car. The motorman stopped the car in time to save her life.

KOKOMO.—The sheriff of Howard county is trying to find the person who put Paris greasy the cow feed at Aaron Oeardoff's dairy farm. Six cows probably will die as a result of the deed.

PLYMOUTH.—Lewis A. Brown, 20 years old, assistant freight agent for the Pennsylvania railroad, was run over by a freight car Monday afternoon and his leg was severed from the body close to the hip. His foot slipped as he was attempting to jump on a car.

MELANCHOLY WOMEN

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The News-Times birthday party is open to all school children of South Bend and Mishawaka in both the public and private schools, regardless of whether their parents are subscribers or not. Co-operating with The News-Times in giving the children these series of treats are the Orpheum, Majestic, Colonial, LaSalle and Surprise theaters and The American Drug Co. Hundreds of children have been made happy since we inaugurated this little plan and hundreds will be made happy in the future. The entertainment is absolutely free of cost or obligation. The child's name is published in The News-Times on the date of his birthday. On the Saturday following such publication the child comes to the circulation department of the paper and is given a coupon ticket which entitles him to admission to the Orpheum, LaSalle, Colonial, Surprise and Majestic theaters and a treat at the fount of the American Drug Co. Children living 10 or more blocks from the office are given a car ticket home.

Besides publishing each day the names of children whose birthdays occur on that date, we publish at least five names of children whose birthdays occur later. These names are taken at random and we advise a careful watch of the daily announcements, as the "lucky ones" will receive two treats instead of one.

BIRTHDAYS TODAY.

South Bend.
Alexander, Cecil, 133 S. Laurel st.
Barber, Harriet, 108 S. Emerick st.
Buck, Lucile, 814 Rush st.
Buck, Cecil, 814 Rush st.
Baumgartner, Mary, 2105 Merry st.
Clifford, Conn, 121 Chapin st.
Cook, Mary, 1240 Michigan av.
Crawell, Charles, 922 W. Lincoln highway W.

Carothers, James, 820 Diamond av.
Fish, Marion, 1013 Fuerbringer st.
Fowler, Harold, 1121 E. Bowman st.
Gacka, Lottie, 2010 Linden av.
Jacobs, Marie, 2502 W. Orange st.
Jaski, Edward, 211 S. Chestnut st.
Klotter, Theodore, 821 W. Indiana av.

Kotkewski, Leo, 2422 Orange st.
Monroe, Paul, 1601 Lonley av.
Shirk, Gladys, 512 E. South st.
Zettee, Howard, 314 N. Olive st.
Mishawaka.
Reebee, Hazel, 817 E. Lincoln highway W.

LUCKY ONES TODAY.

South Bend.
Vickery, Gladys, 2428 Linden av.
Sokach, Anna, 229 Berlin st.
Sallia, Ella, 901 Kerr st.
Mishawaka.
Partridge, Robert, 127 E. Seventh.
Van Poelvoorde, Julius, 425 W. Sixth.

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